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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1. (Currently amended) A system for purchase management based on an administrative standard of purchasing, said system comprising:

an administrative standard specifying unit for specifying, when a purchase request is to be made on a plurality of types of items, the administrative standard of the purchase request according to the expense items representing the category or use of said items defined for each item, by defining useable expense item codes based upon a correlation between a budget control unit for a user and said expense items;

an administrative standard specific dividing controller for performing control of dividing said purchase request per administrative standard when said administrative standard specifying unit specifies that the administrative standards of the respective items to which the purchase request was made differ;

an administration controller for receiving the purchase request divided per administrative standard and administratively controlling said purchase request;

a divided ordering controller for performing control of dividing and ordering said purchase request per item specific dealer when said administration controller allows the purchase request; and

an order totaling controller for totaling the order data ordered by the divided ordering controller according to the attribute of the expense item of said order.

Claim 2. (Currently amended) The system according to claim 1, further comprising:

a useable ~~an~~ expense item code displaying controller for selectively displaying, at the time of said purchase request, the useable expense item ~~codes~~ ~~code defined in the budget control unit to which the user making the purchase request of items belongs,~~ and the expense item code set forth per category of said items or per price decision method of said items; and

a useable ~~an~~ expense item specifying unit for inputting, among one or a plurality of useable expense item codes displayed selectively, the useable expense item code specified when the user makes the purchase request as the useable expense item of said item as said administrative standard specifying unit.

Claim 3. (Previously presented) The system according to claim 1, wherein said administrative standard specifying unit comprises a user specific administrative standard

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